IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA WESTERN DIVISION

Criminal No. 5:10-CR-35-FL-1 Civil No. 5:12-CV-98-FL

| KWAME SMITH, |) | |
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| Petitioner, |) | |
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| V. |) | ORDER |
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| UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, |) | |
| Respondent. |) | |

Having conducted an examination of petitioner's motion pursuant to Rule 4(b) of the Rules Governing § 2255 Proceedings and it appearing that dismissal is not warranted at this time, the United States Attorney is DIRECTED to file an Answer pursuant to Rule 5, Rules Governing § 2255 Proceedings, or to make such other response as appropriate to the above-captioned § 2255 Motion to Vacate, Set Aside or Correct Sentence, within **forty (40)** days of the filing of this order.

SO ORDERED. This 2nd day of March, 2012.

LOUISE W. FLANAGAN UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

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